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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREVIEWING PRINT DATA AND RECORDING MEDIA THEREOF

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, please delete the first full paragraph, and replace it with the following new paragraph:

The present invention relates to a previewing method, which, in a device having a spooling function, enables print data based on a print request to be visually checked and edited immediately before printing, a previewing device which is suitable for implementation of the previewing method, and a recording media for causing a computer device to execute the previewing method.